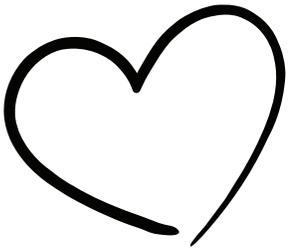


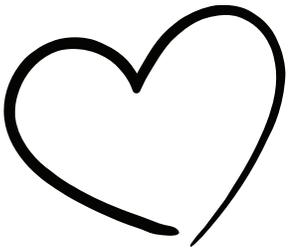
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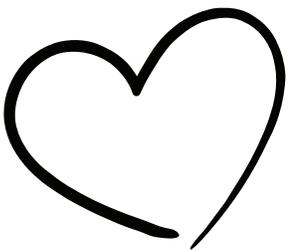
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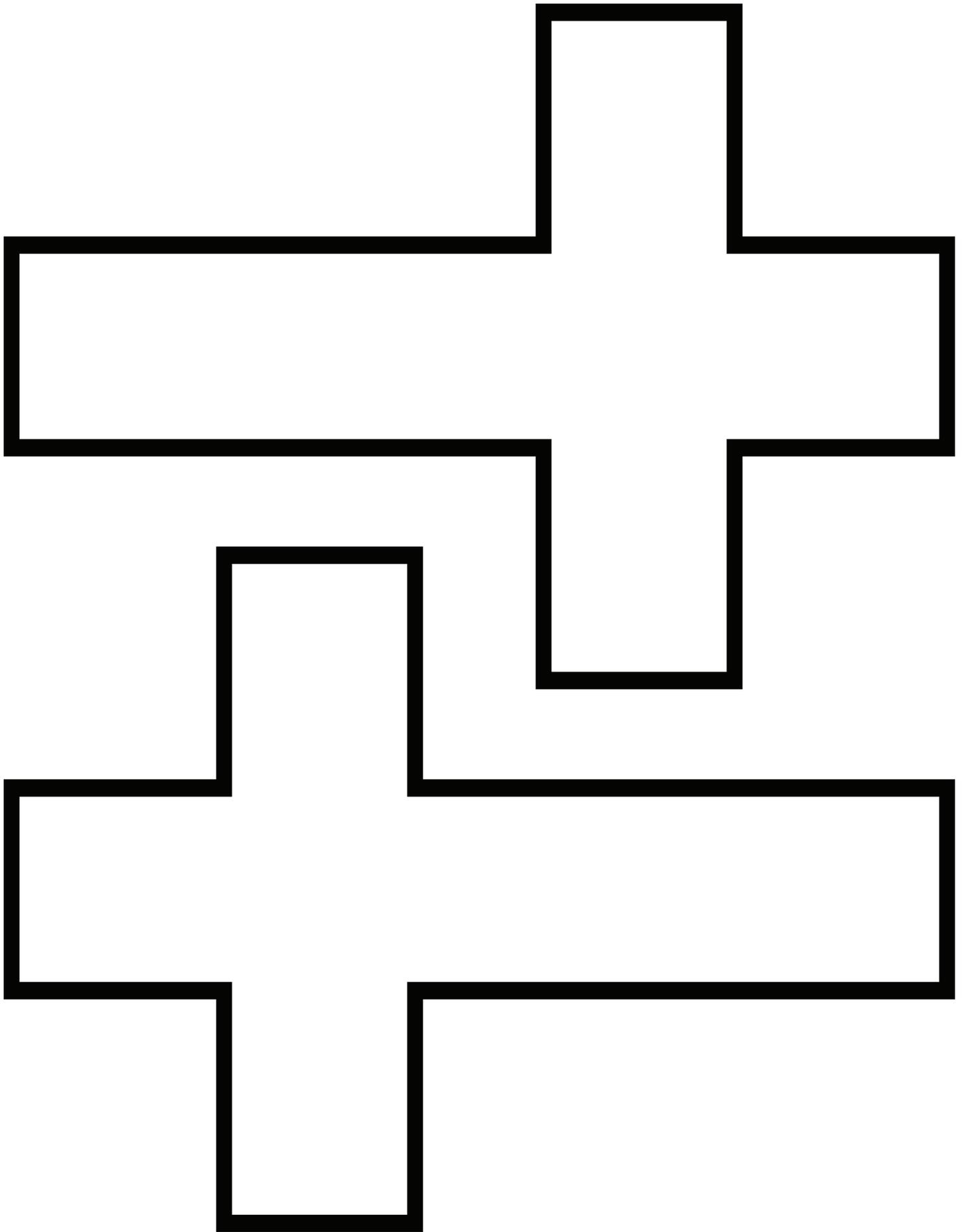
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## ADAM AND EVE

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*Genesis 1: 2-7, 29-31*

God looked at all he had created and saw that it was good. When he created Adam and Eve, he saw that it was very good. God loves us.

**Parents**, how do you show your children you cherish them?

**Children**, how do you know your parents cherish you?



## THE FALL

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*Genesis 3:1-6, 22-23*

God was disappointed with Adam and Eve's decision to disobey him and fall into sin.

**Parents**, how do you feel when your child makes a poor choice?

**Children**, how do you feel when you make a poor choice?



## JESUS WAS BORN

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*Luke 2:4-7, 10-12*

God's great gift to the world was the Incarnation, when God became man. We call Jesus' birth the Nativity.

How is your relationship with Jesus a gift in your life?



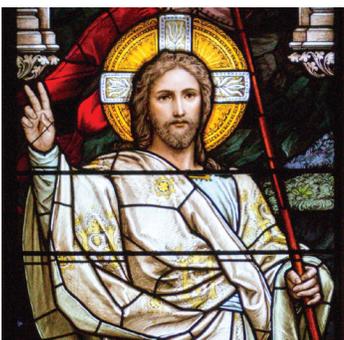
## JESUS DIED

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*Luke 23:33-34, 44-46*

Jesus died to redeem us from sin.

What sacrifice have you made for another person?



## JESUS ROSE

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*Matthew 28:1-10*

Because of the Resurrection of Christ, we are promised eternal life.

When have you been shown mercy and forgiveness?

What is a way you show gratefulness for God's gift of his death and resurrection?



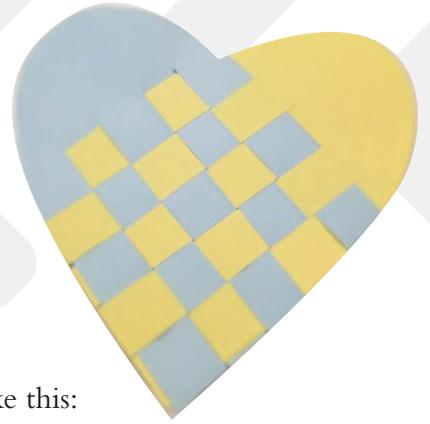
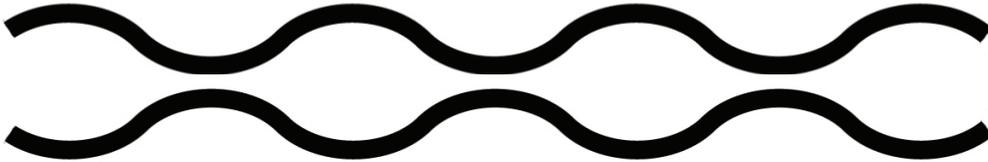
## Family + Faith Session Activity

# Woven Paper Heart Pocket

We usually think of weaving over and under, over and under, like this:

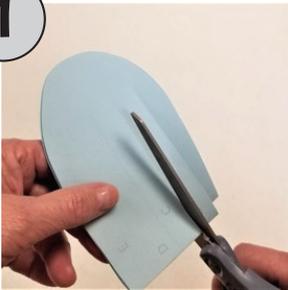


But for this project, we will weave around and through, or outside and inside, like this:



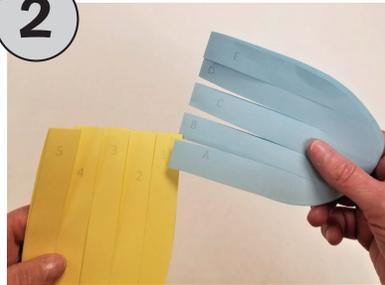
## Directions

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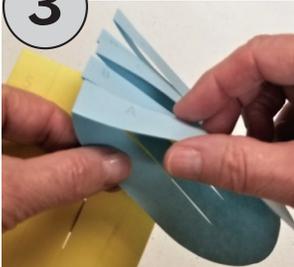
First, fold the long rectangle in half and cut along the outside line. Keep it folded. Cut along the four lines. Be careful to stop where the lines stop.

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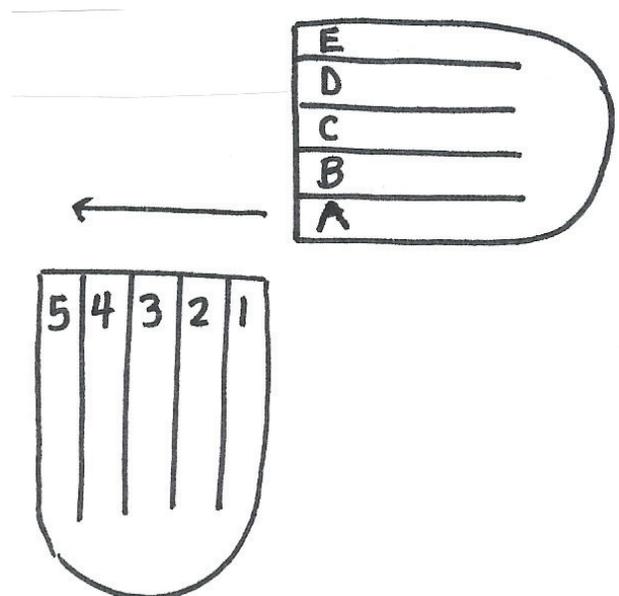
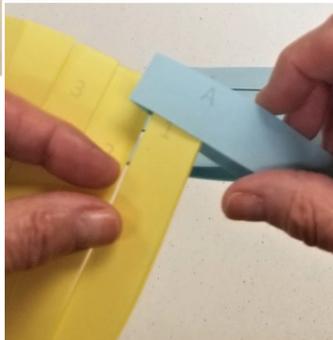


To make a heart, keep the long ovals folded in half, and hold two different colored pieces like this:

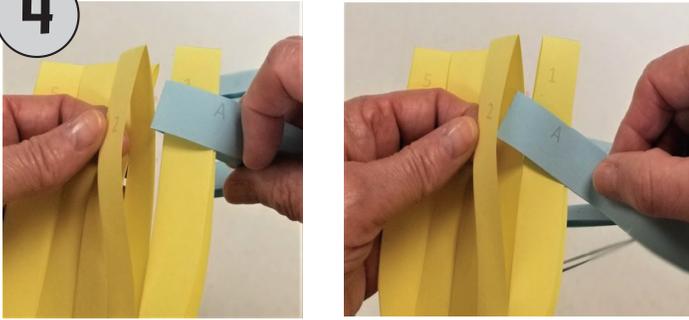
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Starting with strip A, weave to the left through the numbered strips like this: Open the fold of strip A and pull it over the top, *around the outside* of strip 1.



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Then pinch A back together and go between the parts, *through the inside* of strip 2.

Then over and *around the outside* of strip 3. Then between and *through the inside* of strip 4.

Finally, over and *around the outside* of strip 5.

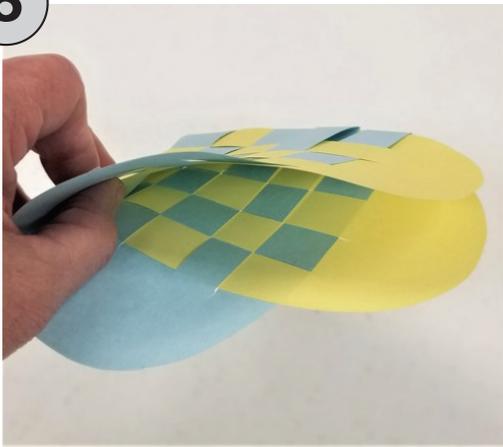
As you weave you might need to bend the strips a bit, that's okay. Push the lettered strips down toward the end of the slits as you finish each row.

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Repeat the weaving with strip B, except that it begins the opposite of how you started the previous row. Begin weaving strip B *through, in* between strip 1, and so on.

Continue with strip C, D, and E, each time beginning the opposite way of the row before. The last strip might be tough to weave if there's not enough room to fit the strip in the numbered strips. If so, try pushing the lettered strips down more tightly into the slits.

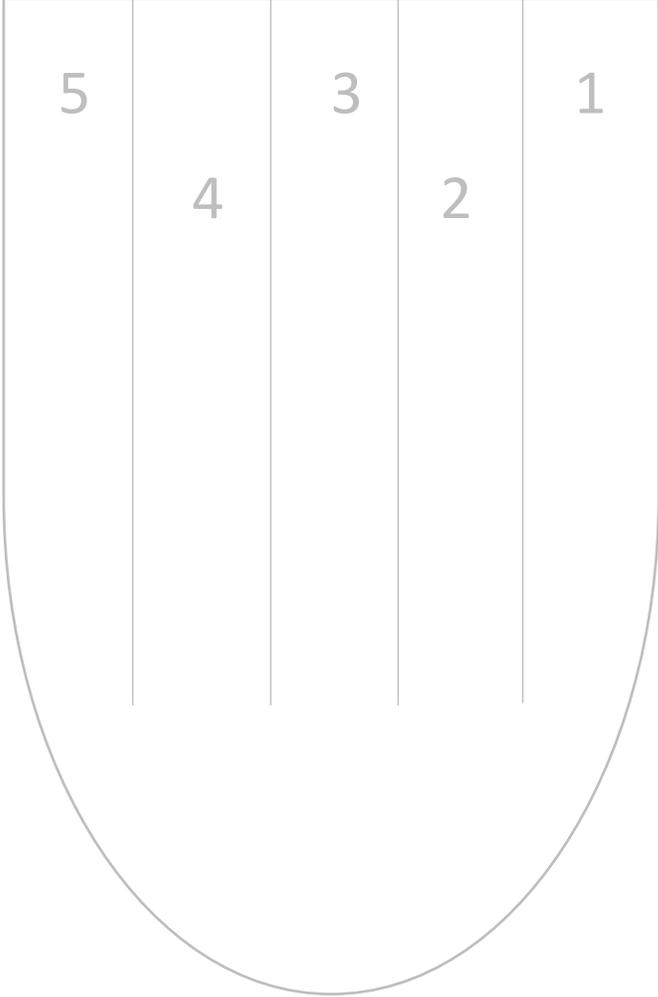
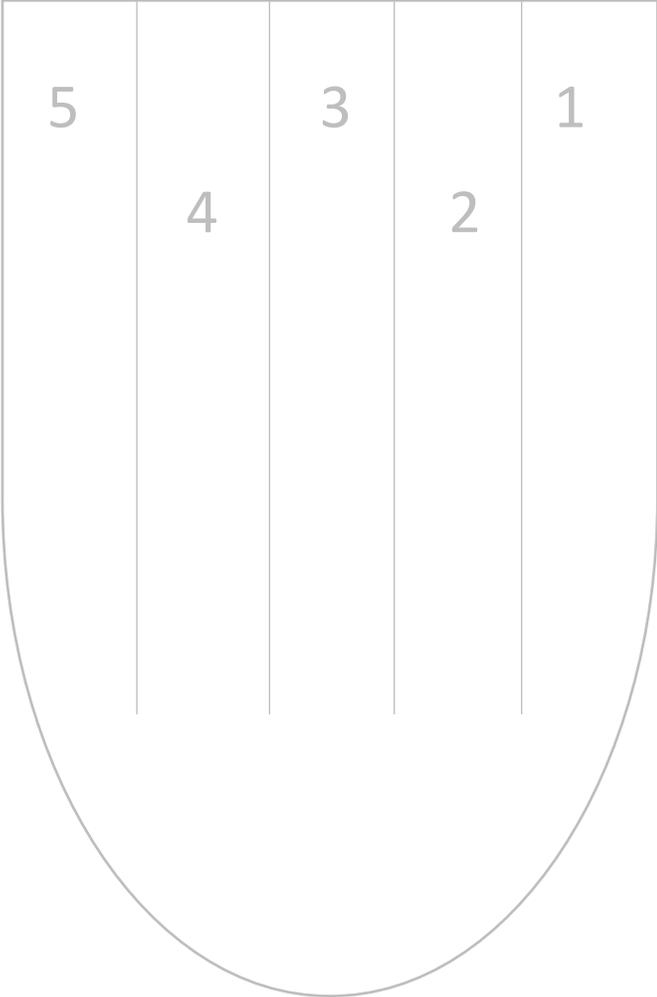
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Now you have woven all five lettered strips into all five numbered strips, and you should have a little heart shape that can be pulled open.

Fill it with paper hearts telling ways you show God's love to others. Hang this on your refrigerator or place it on your dining table to remind you of the kerygma, God's great love for you, and the salvation of Jesus Christ, as you make loving choices during your week – at home, at school, and at work.

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